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THE NEWS OF THE WEEK.

A Daily Resume of Important Happenings.

The proposition to amend the constitution so as to return to the old way of voting was overwhelmingly defeated. The indications are that the amendment was defeated by over 50,000 votes.

A special from Washington has the following relative to the Paisville postoffice fight:

"One of the hottest postoffice fights Kentucky has witnessed for a long time will result in the removal of Mrs. Tom Kirk, widow of Senator Kirk, postmaster at Paisville. Local politicians have been trying to secure her removal. John W. Yerkes, State Chairman, Ernest, John W. Langley and other leaders have done everything possible for her out of regard for her late husband. An inspector sent to investigate recommended her removal. They had another investigation, but the second inspector has just made a similar report, and it is said at the postoffice department that she will have to go."

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 16.—The Court of Appeals in an opinion by Judge Barker, reversed the Home Circuit Court in *Walters vs. Walters*, etc., etc., a case arising out of the common school. The action was by injunction to compel the trustees to admit the child. This court in reversing says the record shows no violation of the rules of the school or that the child had not properly conducted himself, further that it does not deny the right of the school board to fix rules for violation of which a child may be expelled, but that the constitution gives the right to a child to attend the common schools and that it must be by proper procedure kept from attendance. If it may be done, which was not shown in this instance. The case is remanded with instructions.

It is reported that an effort will now be made to annex the west end of Carter to Lewis county and then annex a portion of Elliott county and then create a new county. A vote will be taken on the annexation at the time the next county officers are elected. Four years hence. This rumor is published for what it is worth, not knowing the truth of the same—Grayson Tribune.

After a continued rain of several months day and night, the Hottel & Smith Lumber Company, at Fort, one of the largest manufacturers of pine lumber in the State, has closed down. They have a few hundred and fifty logs and now have no more on their yards about fifteen feet of dressed lumber. The company has a shipping capacity of 200 cars per month, which is sent to all parts of the United States and Canada, also large portions of it is shipped to Europe, where the company has an immense business. About ten men are thrown out of employment.

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 18.—The Capital Monument Commission held a meeting at the Capital Hotel this afternoon and adjourned without taking action further than extending the time of the (law of Charles E. Nelson, of New York, sculptor, to make the model. The date presented was only four and one-half feet high, while the Commission have directed a life-sized statue. The Commission is composed of Senator James H. McCreary, Dr. E. E. Hume, Gov. J. C. W. Beckham, Miss Sallie Jackson, Mrs. Edward Plunkett and Mrs. C. M. Lewis. Senator McCreary reported to the Commission that there was \$17,500 to the credit of the monument fund.

A committee will go to New York to confer with the contracting architect. David B. Robinson, a ruralist at the Frankfort penitentiary, who was shot at the time of the outbreak in 1888, will enter suit for reinstatement to life-time position. The suit will be based on a resolution of the Legislature.

The battleship Kentucky holds the record for having sent a message the longest distance by wireless telegraph. A vote of 8 to 5 the Board of the Kentucky Fish Commission decided on the new plan for the fishery. The foreign consul at Louisville said he would have turned the favor of the sea-level type.

Charles, of Denmark, was elected King of Norway. He announced he will take the title of King, and will confer the title on his son.

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First Lieut. Julian M. Howard, of the Middleboro company organized to suppress lawlessness in that section, died from a fatal wound accidentally inflicted by himself.

The Court of Appeals decided that Haskett County have the right to appoint only one Supervisor of Roads in their respective counties.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Consul General Yerkes and Representative Bennett called at the White House to-day and discussed Kentucky matters with the President.

Among other things they were assured that United States District Attorney J. H. Tinsley, of the Eastern district of Kentucky, will be re-appointed. This decision was reached by the President on the ground that Tinsley's record in the office is a good one, that he is an old soldier, that he was in the Spanish-American War, and, in short, that no reason except the fact that another man wanted the place could be urged against his retention in office. Tinsley has served only four years, and the President holds that he deserves reappointment.

Grayson, Ky., Nov. 16.—The Lewis State and Hoarding Co's. dryhouse, near Grayson, Ky., and a large quantity of dressed stock, hams, etc., were burned by fire.

Danville, Ky., Nov. 16.—"Aunt" Judith Atkins, the oldest woman in Kentucky, died early this morning at her home on Walnut street, in this city, at the age of 120 years. She was a servant in the home of Isaac Shelby, the first Governor of Kentucky, when he began his career as Chief Executive at Lexington in 1792. She was respected by a large number of white persons, who will likely attend her funeral in a day or two.

The Ohio River Valley Improvement Association adjourned after holding the 4th officers and adopted a series of resolutions, the last of which is "Resolved that the association shall hold its annual meeting at Louisville in 1906."

Philadelphia, Nov. 16.—During the inquiry in the case of John F. McKim and Joseph Garza, laborers, who were killed at the Midvale Steel Works on November 10, it was established that the two men had entered a pit and that several pounds of hot metal poured from a leak and completely absorbed them. Not a trace of the bodies of the men was discovered. The steel company has decided to take about \$500,000 of the steel from the place where the men were last seen and have it buried out of respect of the dead workmen. The corporation just rendered a verdict of accidental death.

Postoffice robbers, supposedly from Kentucky, last Tuesday morning broke through the postoffice at Copley, Va. They blew their way in with dynamite, secured all the money and stamps, took away all letters and fixtures that could be conveniently carried off and left nothing but the building and the wreck of life. The place is the scene of the operations in which the Post and Farmer gangs have been concerned, and it is believed the gang of Kentucky robbers were out to capture the capture of the two Postmen, who were taken last week near Pittsburgh by Inspector Clifford. Inspectors have been sent out from Cincinnati.

Delaware steps were taken at Winchester for the permanent organization of a State development commission. The executive committee authorized a sub-committee to draft a constitution and by-laws which will be submitted to the next convention. The Senate Committee on Revenue and Taxation heard evidence on different lines of taxation.

The Pennsylvania State Board of Pardons has committed to the imprisonment the death sentence. James W. Ewell, the young Kentuckian, recently convicted for murder.

The corner stone of the M. K. K. monument, the gift of the American people was laid at Canton, N.

The Democrats and Republicans of the House have each called a caucus to meet in Washington December 2.

The case of Claude Orlan, vs. Contractors Langhorne and Ricketts, has been compromised for \$500, half of which goes to the attorneys, C. R. Wheeler, of Louisville, and S. J. J. Rice, of Ashland.

Greenup, Ky., Nov. 16.—The defeated candidate for the Citizens ticket in the late election are making all necessary arrangements to contest the election.

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London, Nov. 20.—Without a sign of warning, with never a hint of danger, the H.M.S. *Southampton*, a battleship of the Royal Navy, crashed onto the rocks off Jeddah, on the coast of Egypt, in a blinding snow storm, and went down with all on board.

More than 100 men and women, many of them in their late 20s, 30s, 40s, 50s, 60s, 70s, 80s, 90s, 100s, 110s, 120s, 130s, 140s, 150s, 160s, 170s, 180s, 190s, 200s, 210s, 220s, 230s, 240s, 250s, 260s, 270s, 280s, 290s, 300s, 310s, 320s, 330s, 340s, 350s, 360s, 370s, 380s, 390s, 400s, 410s, 420s, 430s, 440s, 450s, 460s, 470s, 480s, 490s, 500s, 510s, 520s, 530s, 540s, 550s, 560s, 570s, 580s, 590s, 600s, 610s, 620s, 630s, 640s, 650s, 660s, 670s, 680s, 690s, 700s, 710s, 720s, 730s, 740s, 750s, 760s, 770s, 780s, 790s, 800s, 810s, 820s, 830s, 840s, 850s, 860s, 870s, 880s, 890s, 900s, 910s, 920s, 930s, 940s, 950s, 960s, 970s, 980s, 990s, 1000s, 1010s, 1020s, 1030s, 1040s, 1050s, 1060s, 1070s, 1080s, 1090s, 1100s, 1110s, 1120s, 1130s, 1140s, 1150s, 1160s, 1170s, 1180s, 1190s, 1200s, 1210s, 1220s, 1230s, 1240s, 1250s, 1260s, 1270s, 1280s, 1290s, 1300s, 1310s, 1320s, 1330s, 1340s, 1350s, 1360s, 1370s, 1380s, 1390s, 1400s, 1410s, 1420s, 1430s, 1440s, 1450s, 1460s, 1470s, 1480s, 1490s, 1500s, 1510s, 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